



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Carl Gustav FIGDOR et al.

Serial No.: 10/625,204

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Filed: 23 July 2003

Group Art Unit: 1614

FOR: COMPOSITION AND METHOD FOR  
MODULATING DENDRITIC CELL-  
T CELL INTERACTION

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.182

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed 13 May 2005, submitted herewith is a copy of Figure 8 of the above-identified patent application together with a Supplemental Preliminary Amendment and Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers. This Petition is accompanied by the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(f).

This Petition requests that the Figure 8 submitted herewith be accepted as a part of the above-identified patent application and that the patent application be accorded a filing date of 23 July 2003 with priority to parent applications as claimed in the application as filed. According to the PTO records, no Figure 8 was submitted at the time the Application was filed. Applicants urge that Figure 8 was filed with the application papers submitted 23 July 2003 and have enclosed a copy of the postcard submitted with those papers and returned by the U.S. PTO with a barcode sticker indicating the serial number for the application, the postcard (as well as the Application Transmittal Letter submitted 23 July 2003) indicating that 14 pages of drawings were submitted.

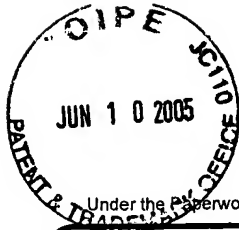
Additionally, Applicants urge that Figure 8 was a part of the application as filed on 23 July 2003 because this application was filed as a divisional application together with a Preliminary Amendment which inserted language on page 1, at line 2, which included the continuing data claiming priority to the various parent applications and including the sentence, "All of the foregoing applications are hereby incorporated herein by reference in their entirety." The "foregoing applications" include, e.g., U.S. Application No. 09/719,961 and International Application No. PCT/NL00/00253, both of which include the Figure 8 which the PTO states was lacking from the filed papers of the present application. Because of the incorporation by reference, it is urged that the present application as filed did in fact include Figure 8 regardless of whether the page showing Figure 8 was missing from the papers as filed. Applicants certify that the Figure 8 submitted herewith is identical to the Figure 8 of parent applications U.S. 09/719,961 and PCT/NL00/00253 which should both be of record at the PTO and which were both incorporated by reference in their entirety into the present Application. Applicants hereby petition that Figure 8 be made a part of the present application (10/625,204) and that the present application retain its filing date of 23 July 2003.

It is further requested that the petition fee be refunded because it is urged that Figure 8 was in fact a part of the present Application as filed.

Respectfully submitted,



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**Under 37 CFR 1.17(f), (g) & (h)**  
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- § 1.296 - to withdraw a request for publication of a statutory invention registration filed on or after the date the notice of intent to publish issued.
- § 1.377 - for review of decision refusing to accept and record payment of a maintenance fee filed prior to expiration of a patent.
- § 1.550(c) - for patent owner requests for extension of time in ex parte reexamination proceedings.
- § 1.956 - for patent owner requests for extension of time in inter partes reexamination proceedings.
- § 5.12 - for expedited handling of a foreign filing license.
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- § 1.102(d) - to make an application special.
- § 1.138(c) - to expressly abandon an application to avoid publication.
- § 1.313 - to withdraw an application from issue.
- § 1.314 - to defer issuance of a patent.

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